CHANGES IN PRODUCER PRICES FOR FINISHED GOODS

[Percent change from preceding period; monthly data seasonally adjusted, except as noted by NSA]

Period	Change from preceding period				Change from 3 months earlier, annual rate				Change from 6 months earlier, annual rate				Change from year earlier, total finished goods NSA
	Total finished goods	Consumer goods		Capital equipment	Total finished goods	Consumer goods		Capital equipment	Total finished goods	Consumer goods		Capital equipment	
		Foods	Excluding foods			Foods	Excluding foods			Foods	Excluding foods		
	Change, Dec. to Dec., NSA												
1987	2.2	−0.2	4.1	1.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.1
1988	4.0	5.7	3.1	3.6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.5
1989	4.9	5.2	5.3	3.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5.2
1990	5.7	2.6	8.7	3.4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.9
1991	−.1	−1.5	−.7	2.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.1
1992	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.2
1993	.2	2.4	−1.4	1.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.2
1994	1.7	1.1	2.0	2.0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.6
1995	2.3	1.9	2.3	2.2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.9
1996	2.8	3.4	3.7	.4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.7
	Change, month to month												
1996: May	0.2	0.2	0.2	0	3.4	2.8	5.2	0.3	3.1	0.8	5.6	0	2.3
June	.3	1.4	−.2	.1	2.5	5.3	1.9	.6	2.5	3.4	2.9	.4	2.7
July	0	.1	.1	0	1.9	6.9	.3	.6	2.3	4.0	2.4	.4	2.6
Aug	.3	.7	.2	.1	2.5	9.1	.6	1.2	3.0	5.9	2.9	.7	3.0
Sept	.3	.4	.3	.1	2.5	4.6	2.5	1.2	2.5	4.9	2.2	.9	3.0
Oct	.4	.8	.4	−.1	4.0	7.7	3.8	.6	2.9	7.3	2.1	.6	3.1
Nov	.2	0	.3	0	3.4	4.8	4.1	0	2.9	7.0	2.4	.6	3.0
Dec	.5	−.2	1.0	0	4.3	2.4	7.0	−.6	3.4	3.5	4.8	.3	2.8
1997: Jan	−.3	−1.0	r −.1	.1	1.5	r −4.6	r 5.1	.3	2.8	r 1.4	r 4.4	.4	2.5
Feb	−.4	r −.4	−.5	−.1	−.6	−6.0	1.9	0	1.4	−.7	3.0	0	2.2
Mar	−.1	.9	−.7	.3	−3.0	−1.8	−4.8	1.2	.6	.3	.9	.3	1.6
Apr	−.6	−.4	−.7	−.4	−4.1	r .3	r −7.2	−.9	−1.4	−2.2	−1.2	−.3	.8
May	−.3	.4	−.8	−.2	−3.9	3.3	−8.4	−1.4	−2.2	−1.5	−3.4	−.7	.3

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

CHANGES IN CONSUMER PRICES—ALL URBAN CONSUMERS

[Percent change from preceding period; monthly data seasonally adjusted, except as noted by NSA]

Period	All items [1]	Food	Housing					Apparel and upkeep	Transportation			Medical care	Energy [2]	All items less food and energy	Addendum: All items, percent change (annual rate)			
			Total [1]	Shelter			Fuel and other utilities		Total [1]	New cars	Motor fuel				From previous quarter [3]	From 3 months earlier	From 6 months earlier	From year earlier NSA
				Total [1]	Renters' costs	Homeowners' costs												
	Change, December to December, NSA																	
1987	4.4	3.5	3.7	4.8	3.9	5.3	1.6	4.8	6.1	1.8	18.7	5.8	8.2	4.2	...	...	...	3.6
1988	4.4	5.2	4.0	4.5	3.9	4.7	2.9	4.7	3.0	2.1	−2.1	6.9	.5	4.7	...	...	...	4.1
1989	4.6	5.6	3.9	4.9	4.5	5.1	3.2	1.0	4.0	2.3	6.8	8.5	5.1	4.4	...	...	...	4.8
1990	6.1	5.3	4.5	5.2	6.7	4.7	4.0	5.1	10.4	1.4	36.5	9.6	18.1	5.2	...	...	...	5.4
1991	3.1	1.9	3.4	3.9	4.2	3.7	2.9	3.4	−1.5	3.3	−16.0	7.9	−7.4	4.4	...	...	...	4.2
1992	2.9	1.5	2.6	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.3	1.4	3.0	2.3	1.8	6.6	2.0	3.3	...	...	...	3.0
1993	2.7	2.9	2.7	3.0	2.6	3.2	2.5	.9	2.4	2.8	−5.4	5.4	−1.4	3.2	...	...	...	3.0
1994	2.7	2.9	2.2	3.0	2.3	3.3	.2	−1.6	3.8	3.2	5.9	4.9	2.2	2.6	...	...	...	2.6
1995	2.5	2.1	3.0	3.5	3.0	3.7	1.4	.1	1.5	1.6	−4.0	3.9	−1.3	3.0	...	...	...	2.8
1996	3.3	4.3	2.9	2.9	3.4	2.8	4.6	−.2	4.4	1.6	12.7	3.0	8.6	2.6	...	...	...	3.0
	Change, month to month																	
1996: May	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	−0.1	0.3	0.1	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.2	...	3.7	3.5	2.9
June	.1	.7	.1	.2	.3	.2	−.2	−.3	−.3	.4	−3.4	.3	−2.0	.2	3.4	2.9	3.4	2.8
July	.3	.5	.4	.5	.6	.3	.5	−.2	0	.2	−.5	.3	.3	.2	...	2.6	3.1	3.0
Aug	.2	.4	.2	.1	.1	.2	.5	−.9	0	.2	−.9	.2	−.2	.1	...	2.3	3.0	2.9
Sept	.3	.5	.2	.2	.2	.2	.3	.5	.5	.5	−.1	.3	.2	.3	2.8	3.1	3.0	3.0
Oct	.3	.5	.3	.3	.3	.2	.5	.2	.3	−.2	1.6	.2	1.1	.2	...	3.1	2.8	3.0
Nov	.3	.4	.3	.2	.2	.3	.5	.3	.3	−.2	1.7	.3	1.2	.2	...	3.6	3.0	3.3
Dec	.3	0	.2	.2	.1	.2	.5	.1	.6	.1	2.5	.2	1.5	.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3
1997: Jan	.1	−.3	.3	.3	.6	.2	.7	.4	−.2	−.2	.6	.2	.8	.1	...	2.8	2.9	3.0
Feb	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.2	−.1	0	0	.2	.3	.2	...	2.5	3.1	3.0
Mar	.1	0	0	.2	.3	.2	−.8	−.3	.1	.1	−2.1	.4	−1.7	.2	2.3	1.8	2.5	2.8
Apr	.1	−.2	.2	.3	.3	.3	−.2	.9	−.4	0	−2.5	.3	−1.5	.3	...	1.5	2.2	2.5
May	.1	.4	.1	.3	.2	.3	−.6	.1	−.8	−.1	−4.0	.3	−2.4	.2	...	.8	1.6	2.2

[1] Includes items not shown separately.
[2] Household fuels—gas (piped), electricity, fuel oil, etc.—and motor fuel. Motor oil, coolant, etc., excluded beginning 1983.
[3] Quarterly changes are shown in the last month of the quarter.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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